## MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

House of Commons,

Tuesday, May 29th, 1934.

The Select Standing Committee on Agriculture and Colonization met this day at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, Mr. Senn, the Chairman, presiding.

Members Present: Messieurs. Barber, Blair, Bowen, Boyes, Brown, Burns, Carmichael, Davies, Donnelly, Dupuis, Garland (Bow River), Gobeil, Golding, Hall, Loucks, Lucas, McKenzie (Assiniboia), Moore (Chateauguay-Huntingdon), Motherwell, Mullins, Perley (Qu'Appelle), Pickel, Senn, Shaver, Smith, Spotton, Stirling, Swanston, Taylor, Totzke, Vallance, Weese, Weir (Melfort), Weir (Macdonald), Wilson. (35).

In attendance: Mr. J. D. Fraser, Chief Inspector, Board of Grain Commissioners; Mr. C. M. Hamilton, Commissioner, Board of Grain Commissioners.

The Chairman read a letter from the English Co-Operative Wholesale Society, see Minutes of Evidence, page 173.

On motion of Mr. Carmichael it was resolved that the evidence to be given by Dr. H. M. Tory, President of the Research Council of Canada, be heard in Camera.

The Committee proceeded to the consideration of Bill 53, an Act to amend the Canada Grain Act.

Mr. Davies presented a questionnaire to be sent to the Co-Operative Wholesale Society, Montreal.

Mr. John B. Fisher, Scottish Co-Operative Wholesale Society of Winnipeg—Called, examined and retired.

Mr. Fred Bowen was requested by the Chairman to take the Chair.

Mr. L. C. Brouillette, President, Saskatchewan Wheat Pool—Called, examined and retired.

Mr. E. B. Ramsay, Chief Commissioner, Board of Grain Commissioners of Canada—Called, examined and retired.

The Committee then adjourned to meet again on Wednesday, May 30th, at 11 a.m.

Walter Hill, Clerk of the Committee.